Status Report April 2006

Move to postgreSQL, Build OB7.2

The report on the performance testing of the shef_decode_raw application has been finalized and can be found on the RAXUM website at: http://www.nws.noaa.gov/oh/rfcdev/docs/Perform_test.pdf

Testing by the HL of the various components of the migration plan continues.

All applications but one are in final shakedown testing. The only application not ready for testing is arcnav. ABRFC is taking a look at it to see if they can resolve the xmotif issues that have arisen.

Based on a run thru of the rax ob7.2 test plan several changes/corrections have been noted and the plan is currently being revised.

OB6 documentation

New to the RAXUM website online documentation page in May will be updated versions of documentation for the following: arcmenu, arcnav, datview, dcextract, dcparse, flatfiles viewer, get_states, group_parse and the suite of level 1 processors. Already on the web are updates for the shef_decode_raw and shef_decode_pro applications.

<u>Transition of OHD Archive Scripts</u>

Updated version of the postgres scripts is available from the RFC Support Group's ftp site (noaa1 server) in the directory .../pub/hsd/rax_ohd_trans. The following files are currently available:

Readme_ohdPGscripts_ob6_20060417.txt ohdPGscripts_ob6_20060417.tar.Z

The scripts contain a couple bug fixes as well as some changes suggested by MARFC.

In a conference call held 03/29/2006 ... additional branches to the flatfiles directory structure were discussed. New branches are for files that might be archived from the daily qc products of mpe in ob7.2. Proposal for these new branches was run by CBRFC, NWRFC and CNRFC.